

Plattsburgh, New York

Desmond J. Racicol Plattsburgh Fire Department Police Chief

65 Cornelia Street Plattsburgh, NY 12901 Tel: 518-561-5965 Fax: 518-561-8236 citychief@cityofplattsburgh-ny.gov

MEMO

TO:

Mayor Kasprzak

Members of the Common Council

FROM:

Chief Desmond J. Racicot

DATE:

March 15, 2012

RE:

Fire and Ambulance Responses

For this week's period: Thursday, March 8, 2011 to Wednesday, March 14, 2012 our Department has responded to the following:

Fire Calls

1 light ballast breakdown

2 system activations

1 MVA

1 EMS assist

1 gas leak

1 pulp machine fire

1 vehicle fire

1 good intent

Ambulance Calls

49

Mutual Aid by CVPH

BUILDING INSPECTOR'S COMPLAINT REPORT: 3/13/12

DATE	STREET NAME	COMPLAINT	INSP INSPECTION REPORT	CORRECTION DATE OF CORRECTION
71075075	CORNELIASI	ICE ON SIDEWALK	СВ	CORRECTIVE ACTION IN PROCESS
3/9/2012	TRUMAN AVE	MAINTENANCE .	M	CORRECTIVE ACTION IN PROCESS
3/9/2012	DURAND ST	PIDGEONS FROM NEIGHBORS BIRD FEEDER	M	CORRECTIVE ACTION IN PROCESS
3/12/2012	CORNELIA ST	SIGNAGE	СВ	CORRECTIVE ACTION IN PROCESS
3/12/2012	MARGARET ST	SIGNAGE	СВ	CORRECTIVE ACTION IN PROCESS
3/12/2012	CORNELIA ST	VIOLATION OF SPECIAL USE PERMIT	СВ	CORRECTIVE ACTION IN PROCESS
3/12/2012	OAK ST	SIGNAGE	СВ	CORRECTIVE ACTION IN PROCESS
3/13/2012	COUCH ST	MICE	СВ	CORRECTIVE ACTION IN PROCESS
3/13/2012	MARGARET ST	ELEVATOR STOPPED WORKING	СВ	CORRECTIVE ACTION IN PROCESS

CITY OF PLATTSBURGH, NY

STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS

Department of Public Library

The undersigned hereby certifies that the following is a complete statement of all monies payable to the City of Plattsburgh received by the above mentioned department, or by the undersigned, during the period beginning

February 16, 2012 and ending on

February 29, 2012 inclusive.

	Purpose for which Received		Amount
2121212			
6124-2450	Commissions		-
6126-2613	Overdue Charges		458.30
6126-2650	Sale of Scrap		100.00
6126-2655	Minor Sales		210.78
6127-2690	Lost/Damaged Property		163.00
6127-2705	Gifts and Donations		103.00
6127-2755	Trust Fund Income		
6227-2760	CEF Library System		
6227-2770	Local Grants		
6330-3840	State Library Aid		-
6330-3842	State Aid		
		General	832.08
	Sales Tax @ 8% (Minor Sales Only)	T&A	7.12
		TOTAL	839.20

Dated, Plattsburgh, NY:

March 1, 2012

Signed by

, Administrative Assistant

Received of Jamie A. Parrotte the aforesaid amount of:

Eight hundred thirty-nine and 20/100 dollars this 1st day of March 2012.

Richard A. Marks, City Chamberlain

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CITY OF PLATTSBURGH 1001

MISCELLANEOUS CASH

Date / Time : 03/05/12 10:46

Payment : \$ 832.08
Receipt # : 201283
Check/Credit Card #: MULTIPLE

CITY OF PLATTSBURGH, NEW YORK OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK

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Keith A. Herkelo, 12-Mar-12 City Clerk

Introduction on March 1, 2012

Moved by Councilor Case

Seconded by Councilor Jackson

Local Law P- 2 of 2012 - Transfer of Title to Abandoned Vehicles.

Be it enacted by the Common Council of the City of Plattsburgh, as follows:

- 1. The term "abandoned vehicle" and the procedure for identifying and giving notice to persons who own or have a lien or other interest in an abandoned vehicle shall be as set forth in New York Vehicle and Traffic Law §1224 and the regulations promulgated thereunder.
- 2. Pursuant to the authority granted by New York Vehicle and Traffic Law §1224-6 the City of Plattsburgh may convert for use by its police department and transfer title to not more than two abandoned vehicles in a calendar year that are not affected by New York Vehicle and Traffic Law §1224-2.
- 3. This law shall be designated Chapter 254 of the City Code
- 4. This law shall take effect upon filing with the New York Secretary of State

On Roll Call		
in favor:		
opposed:	a .	
The foregoing local law is hereby approved.		
Date:		
	Donald M. Kasprza	k, Mayor

Proposed February 16, 2012 MAXIMUM FARE - 2 PASSI							ENGE	RS	
A1	A1 5.50	A2 5.75	B1 5.75	B2 6.25	B3 5.75	C1 5.75	C2 6.25	D1 6.25	D2 6.75
A2	5.75	5.50	6.25	6.75	6.25	5.75	6.25	5.75	6.25
B1	5.75	6.25	5.50	5.75	5.75	6.25	6.75	6.75	7.25
B2	6.25	6.75	5.75	5.50	5.75	6.75	7.25	7.25	7.75
В3	5.75	6.25	5.75	5.75	5.50	6.25	6.75	6.75	7.25
C1	5.75	5.75	6.25	6.75	6.25	5.50	5.75	6.25	6.75
C2	6.25	6.25	6.75	7.25	6.75	5.75	5.50	6.75	7.25
D1	6.25	5.75	6.75	7.25	6.75	6.25	6.75	5.50	5.75
D2	6.75	6.25	7.25	7.75	7.25	6.75	7.25	5.75	5.50
	EXTR	A \$1.00) for the	hours	of midn	ight to	5:00 a.m		

EXTRA \$1.00 per person for 3 or more passengers.



MUNICIPAL LIGHTING DEPARTMENT

(A Municipally Owned and Operated Power System)

Plattsburgh, NewYork

6 Miller Street Plattsburgh, New York 12901 Ph # 518-563-2200 Fax: 518-563-6690

TO:

Mayor Donald M. Kasprzak

FROM: William J. Treacy, P.E., Manager

RE:

Unpaid Final Bill Account Write-off

DATE:

March 12, 2012

The Management of the Plattsburgh Municipal Lighting Department respectfully requests permission to proceed with the write-off of unpaid final bills. The period covered by this write-off will be from February 1, 2011 to February 28, 2011. approximate amount of the write-off will be \$5,268.43. The percentage of write-offs for this period is .26%.

Sales for this time period were \$2,031,559.67.

Payments on final accounts for this time period were \$3,024.94.

This write-off of unpaid bills represents 28 customers ranging as follows (all customers have no forwarding addresses and/or letters returned):

0 to \$50.00 - 3 customers

\$50.01 to \$100.00 - 5 customers

\$100.01 to \$150.00 - 7 customers

\$150.01 to \$200.00 - 2 customer

\$200.01 to \$250.00 - 4 customers

\$251.00 to \$300.00 – 1 customer

300.00 to 350.00 - 1 customer (deceased)

\$350.00 to \$400.00 – 3 Customers (no forwarding addresses or telephone numbers)

\$458.94 – 1 customer – (moved to Hadley, NY)

\$470.22–1 customer (no forwarding address or telephone number)

I thank you for your attention to this matter.

Cc: Richard Marks, City Chamberlain

Eileen Sickles, Account Systems Supervisor

Final Bill Account Write-off



Plattsburgh, NewYork

Richard A. Marks City Chamberlain

Department of Finance 6 Miller Street Plattsburgh, NY 12901 518-563-7704 TEL 518-563-1714 FAX

At a regular meeting of the Common Council of the City of Plattsburgh, New York, held March 22nd, 2012, the following resolution was adopted:

By Councilor

; Seconded by Councilor

WHEREAS, the following resolution was adopted on March 22nd, 2012, and

WHEREAS, the Capital Expenditure Plan adopted January 12th, 2012, includes a Water Distribution System category, and

WHEREAS, the Engineering and Planning Department is establishing a 2012 Water System Upgrade Project that is included in the Capital Program adopted January 12th, 2012, and

WHEREAS, the cost of the 2012 Water System Upgrade Project has been estimated by the Engineering and Planning Department to include the project elements, as follows:

		2012 Capital Plan	1	2012 Estimated Cost
Water Meter Reading Sys Hydrant Replacement Plan	tem Total	\$ 150,000 24,000 174,000	\$ \$	150,000 24,000 174,000
Project Funding:				
Water Capital Reserve		\$ 174,000	<u>\$</u>	174,000
	Total	\$ 174,000	\$	174,000

Now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Common Council of the City of Plattsburgh, New York, this 22nd day of March 2012, as follows:

- 1) That, the amount of One Hundred Seventy-Four Thousand and 00/100 (\$174,000.00) Dollars be and it is hereby appropriated to the Capital Project **2012 Water System**Upgrade Project (Project H8320.71) for the cost of the Capital Project described above is hereby authorized to be expended for such purpose.
- 2) That, One Hundred Seventy-four Thousand and 00/100 (\$174,000.00) Dollars of such appropriation be provided by the Water Capital Reserve fund.
- 3) That, this resolution takes effect immediately.

On Roll Call,

CERTIFIED A TRUE COPY

CITY CLERK







Plattsburgh, NewYork Kevin R. Farrington, P.E. City Engineer

APPROVED

Engineering & Planning Dept. 41 City Hall Place Plattsburgh, New York 12901 518-563-7730 Fax: 518-563-3645

MEMORANDUM

TO:

Richard Marks, City Chamberlain

FROM:

Kevin Farrington, City Engineer

DATE:

January 20, 2012

REF:

Request for Establishment of Capital Project

It is requested that a capital budget be established and funds appropriated for the following:

8 WATER DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM

	a	BUDGET
Beekman St.(Court - Brinkerhoff)	\$	150,000.00
St. Charles St., Cornelia-Elm	\$	160,000.00
Replace Laterals Before Paving	\$	50,000.00
Water Meter Reading System	\$	150,000.00
Hydrant Replacement Plan	\$	24,000.00
т	otal: \$	534,000.00

Funding: \$

534,000.00 Water Reserve



MUNICIPAL LIGHTING DEPARTMENT (A Municipally Owned and Operated Power System)

William J. Treacy, P.E. Manager

6 Miller Street Plattsburgh, New York 12901 518-563-2200 Fax: 518-563-6690

Plattsburgh, NewYork

Date: March 15, 2012

To: Mayor Donald M. Kasprzak

From: Bill Treacy, Manager

Subj.: MEUA Semi-Annual Meeting

As Manager of the Municipal Lighting Department, I hereby requests permission to attend the MEUA Semi-Annual Meeting on the April 23-25, 2012 to be held in East Syracuse, NY at an estimated cost of \$ 435.00.

Attached is a copy of information on the meeting for your review. Also attached is a resolution authorizing me to vote on issues at MEUA meeting on behalf of the City of Plattsburgh. This resolution will need to be approved by the Common Council. If you have any questions, please contact me.

ATT: 4

Cc: Councilor Jackson, MLD Liaison

Travel File



Municipal Electric Utilities Association of New York State

6652 Hammersmith Drive, East Syracuse, New York, 13057 Phone: 315/453-7851 Fax: 315/453-7849 Email: info@meua.org web site: www.meua.org

OFFICIAL NOTICE OF THE SEMI-ANNUAL MEETING

Notice is hereby given that the Semi-Annual Meeting of the Municipal Electric Utilities Association of New York State will be held at the Embassy Suites Hotel, 6646 Old Collamer Rd., East Syracuse, NY, 13057 on April 24 and April 25, 2012 for the transaction of such business as may be properly brought before the meeting.



Plattsburgh Police Department

45 Pine Street

Plattsburgh, NewYork

518-563-3411 518-566-9000 (FAX) DESMOND J. RACICOT Chief of Police

March 13, 2012

Mayor Donald M. Kasprzak And members of the Common Council 41 City Hall Place Plattsburgh, NY 12901

Gentlemen:

I respectfully request your approval for a police officer to travel to Warren County NY from April 2, 2012 to April 6, 2012 for "Breath Test Operator Instructor School". This training is mandatory for training, and the cost of this travel will be paid for with asset forfeiture (DOJ) funds. and the cost will not exceed \$650.

Your consideration in this matter is very much appreciated. If you should have any questions or require additional information, please feel free to contact me.

Respectfully,

Chief Desmond J. Racicot Plattsburgh Police Department

DJR/hls



Plattsburgh, NewYork

Kevin R. Farrington, P.E. City Engineer

Engineering & Planning Dept. 41 City Hall Place Plattsburgh, New York 12901 518-563-7730 Fax: 518-563-3645

March 8, 2012

Mayor Donald Kasprzak
And
Members of the Common Council
41 City Hall Place
Plattsburgh, N.Y. 12901

REF: Request for Permission for Travel to New York Planning Federation Meeting

Dear Mayor Kasprzak & Councilors:

It is requested that permission be granted for City Engineer Kevin Farrington, to attend the New York State Planning Federation Annual Conference on April 16 and April 17th, 2012, at Saratoga Springs, NY, at an estimated cost of \$268.00. A copy of the Program is attached.

Sufficient funds are available in the Engineering Department Budget.

Very truly yours,

Kevin R. Farrington, P.E.

City Engineer

/dn

CC: City Chamberlain

SUNDAY APRIL 15th

3:00 pm -- Registration Opens

4:30-5:30 Mock Open Meetings Law Hearing

5:30 -6:30 - Reception at the Saratoga Hilton Hotel

MONDAY APRIL 16th

7:30 am - Registration Opens

8:30- 9:35		Fransparency on Open Government	
		Coffee Break: 9:35-9:	50
9:50- 10:55	Rights & Responsibilities of the Planning Board &	Designing Urban Bikeway	
	ZBA	CM?	CLE?
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11:00- 12:05	Site Plan Review	Public Officers' Powers & Duties (Elected Officials)	3
		CLE 1	CM?
		Lunch: 12:10 - 1:30	
1:30- 3:00	Introduction to SEQR	Case Law Update	Enforcement of Zoning & Other Local Laws
		CM 1.5 Law?	CLE 1.5
		5	
3:15- 4:45	Sign Regulations	Ethics	Advanced SEQR: Drafting the EIS
	CLE 1	CM 1.5 Ethics?	

5:00-6:00: Reception at Behan Planning & Design

TUESDAY April 17th

7:30 am - Registration Opens

8:30- 9:35	Area & Use Variances	Context-Sensitive Design)	When Right is Blight
	CLE?	CM?		
		Coffee Break: 9:35-9:5	0	
9:50- 10:55	Special Use Permits	Updating the Comprehensi Plan	ve	Developing a Viable Downtown
	CLE?			CM?
11:00- 12:05	Non-Conforming Uses	Public Health Consideration in Community Design	ns	Rebuilding Prattsville: Planners Working Together to Revitalize a Flooded
	CLE?	CM?	¥3	Community

Please note that this is a **PRELIMINARY SCHEDULE**.

While we anticipate that the session offerings are accurate, we are awaiting confirmation of times from some of our presenters.

Also note that we are currently in the application process for both CLE (attorney credits) and CM (certification maintenance credits for licensed planners), which is why some of these credits appear with question marks next to them.

Check our website and your emails for updates as they become available. We anticipate that the final schedule will be announced early in March.



Plattsburgh Police Department

45 Pine Street

Plattsburgh, NewYork

518-563-3411 518-566-9000 (FAX) DESMOND J. RACICOT Chief of Police

March 13, 2012

Mayor Donald M. Kasprzak And members of the Common Council 41 City Hall Place Plattsburgh, NY 12901

Gentlemen:

I respectfully request your approval for a police officer to travel to Cooperstown NY from April 9, 2012 to April 10, 2012 for "Mandatory Yearly Drug Recognition Expert Recertification Training". This travel should not exceed \$143.00, and will be paid out of asset forfeiture (DOJ) funds.

Your consideration in this matter is very much appreciated. If you should have any questions or require additional information, please feel free to contact me.

Respectfully,

Chief Desmond J. Racicot

Plattsburgh Police Department

DJR/hls



Advanced Roadside Impaired Driving Enforcement

Drug Impairment Training for Educational Professionals

DRE Home | DRE Training | DRE Forms | SafeNY Home

DRE Upcoming Training Classes

DRE School Applications are on the GTSC web site at the <u>DRE Forms and Links</u> Page. Applications are accepted only for scheduled classes. All applications must be approved by the State Coordinator. You will be notified if your application has been approved.

Course descriptions:

- · DRE Certification
- · DRE Recertification
- Horizontal Gaze Nystagmus (HGN) Training
- Advanced Roadside Impaired Driving Enforcement (ARIDE)
- · Pharmaceutical Diversion Training
- · Drug Impairment Training for Education Professionals (DITEP)

FOR OUESTIONS OR MORE INFORMATION: Contact Richard Devlin, State Coordinator at the Governor's Traffic Safety Committee at (518) 486-4221 or e-mail richard.devlin@dmv.nv.gov



DRE Training in Dutchess County at an alcohol workshop.

March 1 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. DRE Recertification Make Up Training for 2011

Troop E Headquarters, 1569 Rochester Road, Farmington, NY 14502

Bring your DRE Bag and your completed paperwork.

See course the description and requirements to participate in DRE Recertification Training. If you plan to

attend, please contact State Coordinator Richard Devlin at richard devlin@dmv.ny.gov

March 14

Mandatory Yearly DRE Recertification Training

Region #1

Westchester County Police Academy, 2 Dana Road, Valhalla, NY/10595 As o∳ January 1/2012 you must take a quiz and achieve an 80% or higher to maintain your certification.

All questions will be taken from the DRE Manual. / The/training is/from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. - Bring your DRE Bag.

See course the description and requirements to participate in DRE Recertification Training. The mandatory yearly training session is being offered to any DRE who needs to altend 8 hours of training for 2012. If you plan to attend, please contact Region #1 Coordinator Donald Schuck at DRE-Region-1@att.net. If you need to

recertify within the next six months and your paperwork is complete, you may bring it with you.

Any other questions, please contact Richard Devlin at richard devlin@dmv.ny.gov

March 28

Mandatory Yearly DRE Recertification Training

Oneida County STOP-DWI Office, 200 Base Road, Oriskany, NY 13424

As of January 1, 2012 you must take a quiz and achieve an 80% or higher to maintain your certification.

All questions will be taken from the DRE Manual.

The training is from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. - Bring your DRE Bag.

See course the description and requirements to participate in DRE Recertification Training. The mandatory yearly training session is being offered to any DRE who needs to attend 8 hours of training for 2012. If you pfan to attend, please contact Region four DRE Coordinator-Gary ullinski at abulinski@syracusepolice.org. If you need to recertify within the next six months and your paperwork is complete, you may bring it with you.

Any other questions, please contact Richard Devlin at richard devlin@dmv.ny.gov

April 10

Mandatory Yearly DRE Recertification Training

Region #5

Otsego County Sheriff's Office, 172 County Highway 33W, Cooperstown, NY 13326

As of January 1, 2012 you must take a quiz and achieve an 80% or higher to maintain your certification.

All questions will be taken from the DRE Manual. The training is from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. - Bring your DRE Bag.

See course the description and requirements to participate in <u>DRE Recertification Training</u>. The mandatory yearly training session is being offered to any DRE who needs to attend 8 hours of training for 2012. If you plan to attend, please contact Region five DRE Coordinator-Shawn Callahan at <u>Callahse@Oneonta.edu</u>. If you need to recertify within the next six months and your paperwork is complete, you may bring it with you.

Any other questions, please contact Richard Devlin at richard.devlin@dmv.ny.gov

May 2

Mandatory Yearly DRE Recertification Training

Suifolk County Police Academy, 502 Wicks Road, Brentwood, NY 11717

As of January 1, 2012 you must take a quiz and achieve an 80% of higher to maintain your certification.

All questions will be taken from the DRE Manual.

The training is from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. - Bring your DRE Bag.

See course the description and requirements to participate in DRE Respitification Training. The mandatory yearly training session is being offered to any DRE who needs to attend 8 hours of training for 2012. If you plan to attend, please contact Suffolk P.D. DRE Coordinator-PO Jim Spadaro at \$5325@optonline.net. If you need to recertify within the next six months and your paperwork is complete, you may bring it with you.

Any other questions, please contact Richard Devlin at richard.devlin@dmv.ny.gov

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March 13, 2012

Mayor Donald M. Kasprzak And members of the Common Council 41 City Hall Place Plattsburgh, NY 12901

Gentlemen:

I respectfully request your approval for two police officers to travel to Oriskany NY from April 12, 2012 to April 14, 2012 for "State Preparedness Training Center M4/AR-15 LE Operator Familiarization Course". There is a demand for this training due to the overwhelming increase of patrol rifles within the law enforcement community. This travel should not exceed \$590.00, and will be paid out of asset forfeiture (DOJ) funds.

Your consideration in this matter is very much appreciated. If you should have any questions or require additional information, please feel free to contact me.

Respectfully,

Chief Desmond J. Racicot Plattsburgh Police Department

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NEW YORK STATE DIVISION OF HOMELAND SECURITY AND EMERGENCY SERVICES

THE STATE PREPAREDNESS TRAINING CENTER PRESENTS:

M4/AR-15 LE Operator Familiarization Course

Course: M4 LEOC April 13, 2012 9:00 AM- 5:00 PM

Location

State Preparedness Training Center 5900 Airport Road Oriskany, NY 13424

This course is available for armed, sworn Law Enforcement Officers only.

This is a familiarization course sponsored and delivered by Eastern Air Defense Sector for the M4/AR-15 rifle and *IS NOT AN ARMORERS COURSE*. Due to the overwhelming increase of patrol rifles within the law enforcement community, the demand for a familiarization of the rifle and how it functions is evident. Officers taking this course will better understand the capabilities and function of the M4/AR-15 platform. The instructors are EADS personnel with years of experience working with the M4/AR-15 platform.

At the conclusion of this course You Will Be Able To:

- Have a better understanding of weapon safety;
- Identify the internal components and nomenclature of the M4/AR-15 platform;
- Identify the external components and nomenclature of the M4/AR-15 platform;
- Properly disassemble the weapon;
- Properly reassemble the weapon;
- Understand fundamentals of shooting the M4/AR-15 platform;
- Know how to properly inspect the weapon;

NEW YORK STATE DIVISION OF HOMELAND SECURITY AND EMERGENCY SERVICES

TRAINING ANNOUNCEMENT

M4/AR-15 LE Operator Familiarization Course

Course: M4 LEOC April 13, 2012 9:00 AM- 5:00 PM

Location

State Preparedness Training Center 5900 Airport Road Oriskany, NY 13424

Cost:

- There is NO FEE for this course.
- Travel, lodging and meals are the responsibility of the course participant

Participant Equipment Requirements

Officer-issued primary sidearm, is not required for this course. Each officer is responsible for properly securing his or her primary weapon(s) during the training course. No live ammunition is to be on the officer or in the training area (including classroom) at any time during this course.

Each officer must bring the following equipment with them:

- M4/AR-15 rifle which has been cleared of all ammunition
- · Hard lockable rifle case
- (1) empty M4/AR-15 magazine
- Large towel or blanket to put rifle and parts on during training

Prerequisites:

- Must be a certified police/peace officer who is authorized to carry a patrol rifle in the performance of his/her duties.
- You must be a US citizen or have prior approval to take this course.
- The New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services (DHSES) reserves the right to determine eligibility for this course.

REGISTRATION & CONTACT INFORMATION

For more information contact: **Robert Stallman** at 518-292-1154 or by email at <u>rstallman@dhses.ny.gov</u>. This course has a maximum capacity of <u>20</u> students.

You may register either online or by faxing the application.

• Online to http://www.dhses.ny.gov/oem/training/ • Fax: 1-518-485-8469

No Show Policy: Failure to attend a class you have registered for can result in restriction on future course attendance and agency notification. If you have not received a confirmation or denial two weeks prior to the course date, please contact DHSES, Office of Emergency Management, Training Section.

To REGISTER online, go to http://www.dhses.ny.gov/oem/training/
For more information, contact the DHSES, OEM. Training Unit Phone: (518) 242-5003 Email: training@dhses.ny.gov